

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: METHOD FOR REGENERATING NOX REMOVAL CATALYST

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated March 4, 2009, please consider Applicant's remarks as follows on the accompanying pages. Additionally, the Amendment and Remarks submitted on February 20, 2009 are incorporated herein by reference. The Response is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and therefore, entry and consideration of the Remarks herein and the Amendment of February 20, 2009, are respectfully requested.

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